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Remarks

The amendments and newly filed sequence listing do not introduce any new subject matter within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §132. The submission, filed herewith in accordance with the relevant sections of 37 CFR 1.821, does not include new matter; and the content of the attached paper copy and the attached computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing are the same.

Basis for the amendments to the specification and the sequence listing can be found in the specification on pages 23 and 27-30. The amendments add a sequence identifier to the sequences in the specification, as well as correct for typographical errors. Therefore, the above amendments do not introduce any new matter within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §132. Accordingly, entry of the amendments is respectfully requested.

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Conclusion

Based upon the foregoing, applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw all pending objections in the instant application.

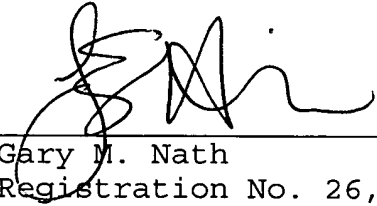
If the Examiner has any questions regarding the subject submission or wishes to discuss the same, the Examiner is welcomed to contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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